2013 Colorado State EMS Conference Recommendations for Continuing Education Allocation by Session

This document is created by the Colorado EMTS Professional Standard Program to provide suggestions for allocation of continuing education (CE) based on this year's current conference schedule. Please confirm with your local State-recognized education program that you have the necessary CE hours and credits towards Colorado and/or NREMT recertification requirements.

Please note that the numbers in parenthesis in the tables indicate the required number of hours in each category. See the <u>2013 Colorado State EMS Conference Recommendations for Continuing Education</u> handout to determine contact hours for individual sessions.

EMT and AEMT CE Allocation	
Colorado State EMT/ AEMT	Session Number
Airway (3)	PC1, PC2, 27* , Airway Lab-ALS, Airway Lab-BLS
Medical/Behavioral (6)	PCAD1, PC3, 2, 3, 5* , 7, 10, 13, 19, 21, 27* , 28* , 31, 40, 41, 43, 44, 47, 49, 55, 56
OB/GYN (2)	23
Pt. Assessment (5)	14, 28* , 35
Pediatrics (2)	Pedi Simulation-ALS, 11, Pedi Simulation - BLS, 22, 32, 53, 64
Preparatory (1)	PCAD2, 1, 4, 8, 15, 21, 25, 26, 33, 34, 38, 39, 45, 46, 51, 52, 54, 57, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 65
Trauma (6)	5 *, 9, 16, 17, 20, 29, 37
Elective (11)	PCAD3, 50, 58
Minimum 36 hours required for renewal	
	*Highlighted session numbers can be used in either category or split between the two
National Registry EMT	Session Number
Airway (2)	PC1, PC2, 27* , Airway Lab-ALS, Airway Lab-BLS
Medical/Behavioral (4)	PCAD1, PC3, 2, 3, 5 *, 7, 10, 13, 19, 21, 27 *, 28 *, 31, 40, 41, 43, 44, 47, 49, 55, 56
OB/GYN and Pediatrics (2)	Pedi Simulation-ALS, Pedi Simulation - BLS, 11, 22, 23, 32, 53, 64
Pt. Assessment (3)	14, 28* , 35
Preparatory (1)	PCAD2, 1, 4, 8, 15, 25, 26, 33, 34, 38, 39, 45, 46, 51, 52, 54, 57, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 65
Trauma (4)	5 *, 9, 16, 17, 20, 29, 37
Electives (8)	PCAD3, 50, 58
Additional CE in any category (48)	
Minimum 72 hours required for renewal	
	*Highlighted session numbers can be used in either category or split between the two
National Registry Advanced EMT/ Intermediate	Session Number
Airway Breathing Cardiology (6 mandatory) (6 flexible)	PCAD1, PC1, PC2, 27*, Airway Lab-ALS, Airway Lab-BLS, 40*, 41*
Medical (2 mandatory)(4 flexible)	PCAD1, PC3, 2, 3, 5 *, 7, 10, 13, 19, 21, 27 *, 28, 31, 40 *, 41 *, 43, 44, 47, 49, 55, 56
Operations (1 flexible)	PCAD2, 1, 4, 8, 14, 15, 25, 26, 33, 34, 38, 39, 45, 46, 51, 52, 54, 57, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 65
OB/GYN and Pediatrics (6 mandatory) (6 flexible)	Pedi Simulation-ALS, Pedi Simulation - BLS, 22, 23, 32, 53, 64
Trauma (4 mandatory) (1 flexible)	5* , 9, 16, 17, 20, 29, 37
Electives/ Additional CE (36)	PCAD3, 50, 58
Minimum 72 hours required for renewal	
	*Highlighted session numbers can be used in either category or split

Paramedic and Intermediate-99 Allocation	
Colorado State Paramedic / Intermediate 99	Session Number
Airway Breathing Cardiology 8)	PCAD1, PC1, PC2, 27*, Airway Lab-ALS, Airway Lab-BLS, 40*, 41*
Medical (4)	PCAD1, PC3, 2, 3, 5 *, 7, 10, 13, 19, 21, 27 *, 28, 31, 40 *, 41 *, 43, 44, 47, 49, 55, 56
OB/GYN (4)	23
Operations (2)	PCAD2, 1, 4, 8, 15, 25, 26, 33, 34, 38, 39, 45, 46, 51, 52, 54, 57, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 65
Pediatrics (4)	Pedi Simulation-ALS, Pedi Simulation - BLS, 22, 32, 53, 64
Trauma (3)	5* , 9, 16, 17, 20, 29, 37
Additional Electives (25)	PCAD3, 50, 58
Minimum 50 hours required for renewal	
	*Highlighted session numbers can be used in either category or split between the two
National Registry Paramedic	Session Number
Airway Breathing Cardiology - (8 mandatory) (8 flexible)	PCAD1, PC1, PC2, 27 *, Airway Lab-ALS, Airway Lab-BLS , 40 *, 41 *
Medical - (3 mandatory) (5 flexible)	PCAD1, PC3, 2, 3, 5 *, 7, 10, 13, 19, 21, 27 *, 28, 31, 40 *, 41 *, 43, 44, 47, 49, 55, 56
Operations (2 flexible)	PCAD2, 1, 4, 8, 14, 15, 25, 26, 33, 34, 38, 39, 45, 46, 51, 52, 54, 57, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 65
OB/GYN and Pediatrics - (8 mandatory) (8 flexible)	Pedi Simulation-ALS, Pedi Simulation - BLS, 22, 23, 32, 53, 64
Trauma (5 mandatory) (1 flexible)	5 *, 9, 16, 17, 20, 29, 37
Electives/ Additional CE (24)	PCAD3, 50, 58
Minimum 72 hours required for renewal	
	*Highlighted session numbers can be used in either category or split between the two

PLEASE NOTE:

- All recommendations are based on information available as of November 1, 2013.
- Some courses may meet the requirements of multiple categories
- Keynote presentations, all Cadaver Lab sessions, vehicle extrication labs (HOSVE1 and HOSVE 2) and the Helicopter Safety class (HOSHS) can be counted in either the **Preparatory** category for Colorado EMT/AEMT and in the **Operations** category for NREMT AEMT, EMT-I & paramedic **or** the **Elective** category at all levels
- Any session not listed in the charts is classified as an elective credit
- Reminder: You may only count each session one time

National Registry Mandatory Core Content Requirements

AIRWAY BREATHING CARDIOVASCULAR

Mandatory Core

Attempt to resuscitate a patient in cardiac arrest

Provide care to a patient experiencing cardiovascular compromise

Provide post resuscitation care to a cardiac arrest patient

Provide ventilatory support for a patient

Flexible Core

Assess & provide care for adult patient in respiratory distress

Assess and provide care to a patient experiencing non-traumatic chest pain/discomfort

Perform techniques to assure a patient airway

Use oxygen delivery system components

MEDICAL EMERGENCIES

Mandatory Core

Assess and provide care for a patient experiencing an allergic reaction

Assess a patient with possible overdose

Assess and provide care to a near-drowning patient

Flexible Core

Assess and provide care to a patient experiencing a seizure

Assess and provide care to a patient experiencing behavioral problem

Assess and provide care to a patient exposed to heat and cold

Assess and provide care to a patient with a history of diabetes

Assess and provide care to a patient with altered mental status

Assess and provide care to a patient with suspected communicable disease

TRAUMA

Mandatory Core

Assess a patient with a chest injury

Assess a patient with a head injury

Assess and provide care to a patient with suspected spinal injury

Perform a rapid trauma assessment

Provide care to a patient with an open abdominal injury

Provide care to a patient with shock/hypoperfusion

Flexible Core

Assess and provide care to a patient with burn injury

Provide care to a patient with a painful, swollen, deformed extremity

OBSTETRICS AND PEDIATRICS

Mandatory Core

Assess and provide care to an infant or child with cardiac arrest

Assess and provide care to an infant or child with respiratory distress

Assess and provide care to an infant or child with shock/hypoperfusion

Assess and provide care to an infant or child with trauma

Flexible Core

Assess and provide care for the obstetric patient

Assess and provide care to an infant or child with a fever

Assess and provide care to an infant or child with suspected abuse or neglect

Provide care to a newborn

Provide care to the mother immediately following delivery of a newborn

OPERATIONAL TASKS

Flexible Core

Communicate with patient while providing care

Use body mechanics when lifting and moving a patient

NREMT ADDITIONAL CONTENT INFORMATION

- Applicable college classes (i.e. A&P, psychology and statistics) may be used for CE credit. 1 college credit = 8CEs
- Check with NREMT for max allowable hours for CECBEMS-approved distributive (non-instructor based) education
- Award hour-for-hour CE credit for attending EMS-related course such as ACLS, AMLS, EPC or ENPC, PEPP, PALS, ITLS or PHTLS
- Award hour-for-hour CE credit for teaching EMS-related coursework
- Courses that cannot be used for NREMT CE credit: Clinicals, CPR, instructor courses, preceptor hours, management/leadership courses, skills examiner hours, paid and/or volunteer work hours